

## Attachment B

### **North Carolina Family Assessment Scale (NCFAS G+R)**

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## A. Environment

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Housing Stability</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. Safety in the Community</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Environmental Risks</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Habitability of Housing</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Personal Hygiene</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Learning Environment</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>7. Overall Environment</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

**Comments:**

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## B. Parental Capabilities

Note: This section refers to biological parent(s), if present, or current caregiver(s).

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Supervision of Child(ren)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. Disciplinary Practices</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Provision of Developmental/Enrichment Opportunities</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Use of Drugs/Alcohol Interferes with Parenting</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Promotes Child(ren)'s Education</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Controls Access to Media/Reading Material</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>7. Parent(s)/Caregiver(s)'s Literacy</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>8. Overall Parental Capabilities</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

**Comments:**

## C. Family Interactions

Note: This section refers to family members living in the same or different households.

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Bonding with Child(ren)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. Communication with Child(ren)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Expectations of Child(ren)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Mutual Support Within the Family</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Relationship Between Parents/Caregivers</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Family Routines/Rituals</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>7. Family Recreation and Play Activities</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>8. Overall Family Interactions</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

**Comments:**

## D. Family Safety

Note: This section refers to family members living in the same or different households.

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Absence/Presence of Domestic Violence Between Parents/Caregivers</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. Absence/Presence of Other Family Conflict</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Absence/Presence of Physical Abuse of Child(ren)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Absence/Presence of Emotional Abuse of Child(ren)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Absence/Presence of Sexual Abuse of Child(ren)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Absence/Presence of Neglect of Child(ren)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>7. Absence/Presence of Access to Weapons</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>8. Overall Family Safety</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

**Comments:**

## E. Child Well-Being

Note: This section pertains to all the children in the family. If more than one child, children may have different issues. Rate the family, thus if any child has, for example, a behavioral problem, the family as a whole experiences that problem. In this way, all children in the family may contribute to the ratings on a single form.

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Child(ren)'s Behavior</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. School Performance</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Child(ren)'s Relationship with Parent(s)/Caregiver(s)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Child(ren)'s Relationship with Sibling(s)</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Child(ren)'s Relationship with Peers</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Cooperation/Motivation to Maintain the Family</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>7. Overall Child Well-Being</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

Comments:

## F. Social/Community Life

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Social Relationships</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. Relationships with Child Care, Schools, and Extracurricular Services</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Connection to Neighborhood, Cultural/Ethnic Community</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Connection to Spiritual/Religious Community</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Parent(s)/Caregiver(s)'s Initiative and Acceptance of Available Help/Support</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Overall Social/Community Life</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

**Comments:**

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## G. Self-Sufficiency

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Caregiver Employment</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. Family Income</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Financial Management</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Food and Nutrition</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Transportation</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Overall Self-Sufficiency</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

**Comments:**

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## H. Family Health

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Parent(s)/Caregiver(s)'s Physical Health</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. Parent(s)/Caregiver(s)'s Disability</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Parent(s)/Caregiver(s)'s Mental Health</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Child(ren)'s Physical Health</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Child(ren)'s Disability</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Child(ren)'s Mental Health</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>7. Family Access to Health/Mental Health Care</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>8. Overall Family Health</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

**Comments:**

**I. Caregiver/Child Ambivalence**

Note: This section is for Reunification cases only..

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Parent/Caregiver Ambivalence Toward Child</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. Child Ambivalence Towards Parent/Caregiver</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Ambivalence Exhibited By Substitute Care Provider</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Disrupted Attachment</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Pre-Reunification Home Visitations</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Overall Caregiver/Child Ambivalence</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

**Comments:**

**J. Readiness for Reunification**

Note: This section is for Reunification cases only..

	Not Applic.	Clear Strength	Mild Strength	Baseline/ Adequate	Mild Problem	Moderate Problem	Serious Problem	Unknown
<b>1. Resolution of Significant CPS Risk Factors</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>2. Completion of Case Service Plans</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>3. Resolution of Legal Issues</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>4. Parent/Caregiver Understanding of Child Treatment Needs</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>5. Established Back-Up Supports and/or Service Plans</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
<b>6. Overall Readiness for Reunification</b>								
Intake	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Interim	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK
Closure	N/A	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-3	UK

**Comments:**